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GATE CMOS DEVICES"

GRP. Art. Unit 2823

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir,

In response to an Office Action dated September 06, 2006, please amend the identified application for patent as follows:

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees involved with added Claims and the like to Deposit Account No. 19-0033

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 6, 2006.

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